

William Herschell history and sheet music S646

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Summary Information

Repository	Indiana State Library
Title	William Herschell history and sheet music
Date	1916-1943
Extent	0.08 Cubic feet 2 folders
Language	English
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Biographical Note

William Herschell was born November 17, 1873, in Spencer, Indiana, and lived throughout southern Indiana during his childhood. As an adult, Herschell started on a career as a railroad machinist, but after losing his job due to a failed strike, he became a journalist and poet. After working for smaller papers, Herschell landed a position with the *Indianapolis Journal*, where he worked for 37 years. Herschell married Josephine. He died December 22, 1939.

"William Herschell." Our Land, Our Literature. Accessed August 21, 2013. <http://landandlit.iweb.bsu.edu/literature/Authors/herschellwm.html>.

"William Miller Herschell." Indiana Journalism Hall of Fame. Accessed August 21, 2013. <http://indianajournalismhof.org/2002/01/william-miller-herschell/>.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes a history of the Indianapolis Gazette and handwritten sheet music from William Herschell in Indianapolis, Indiana, ranging from 1916 to 1943 regarding his work as a poet and journalist.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Indiana State Library

Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Mrs. William Herschell on 1940/02/04.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Indianapolis (Ind.)

Personal Name(s)

- Herschell, William

Subject(s)

- Music
- Rare Books and Manuscripts